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Recommendation for Creation of Fulltime Leadership for Graduate Study

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TO: President John E. Van de Wetering

FROM: The Faculty Senate Meeting on 5/9/88
(Date)

RE: I. Formal Resolution (Act of Determination)
 II. Recommendation (Urging the fitness of)
 III. Other (Notice, Request, Report, etc.)

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Creation of Full-time Leadership
for Graduate Study



Signed: Richard G. Fry Date Sent 5/16/88
(For the Senate)

TO: The Faculty Senate

FROM: President John E. Van de Wetering

RE: I. Decision and Action Taken on Formal Resolution

a. Accepted. Effective Date _____

b. Deferred for discussion with the Faculty Senate on _____

c. Unacceptable for the reasons contained in the attached explanation

II., III. a. Received and acknowledged

b. Comment:

Keep for Adm. affairs and meet with committee

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Signed: [Signature]
(President of the College)

Date Received by the Senate: _____

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
COLLEGE AT BROCKPORT

TO: The Faculty Senate

FROM: The Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Curriculum
and Policies

RE: Recommendation for Creation of Full-time Leadership
for Graduate Study

DATE: May 9, 1988

RATIONALE

The Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Curriculum and Policies believes that development and maintenance of quality graduate study requires coordinated, centralized, full-time leadership at the college level. In the Committee's judgement, part-time responsibility for graduate study at the college level does not provide the leadership, the efficiency, or the representation needed.

Central leadership is necessary to attune graduate study continually to advances related to graduate needs, programs, and trends, and accordingly, to assist departments in appropriate program modification and innovation. Such leadership can provide, also, continual enrollment management and maintenance of standards of quality.

College level representation is needed for graduate studies in the College for effective marketing, for coordinated recruitment of good students, and for participation in state, regional and national meetings on graduate education.

With growth in the number and proportion of graduate enrollments as an important factor in conjunction with the needs for leadership cited above:

RESOLUTION

the Faculty Senate recommends to President Van de Wetering that a full-time position be created at the college level, for the leadership and coordination of graduate study in the College. Further, it is recommended that such a position have the offices, the support staff, the facilities, and the budget appropriate to fulfill the charge of leadership and coordination. Finally, the establishment of this position and the search for a qualified appointee should proceed with the speed commensurate with effective deliberation and consultation.